PARTICIPATING IDAHO HIGH SCHOOLS

American Falls High School Blackfoot High School Boise Senior High School Bonneville High School Borah Senior High School Boundary County Alternative School Canyon-Owyhee School Service Agency (CÖSSA) Capital Senior High School Cassia Regional Technical Center Centennial High School CSI School of Prof-Tech Education Eagle High School Eastern Idaho Prof-Tech High School Emmett High School Gooding High School Highland Senior High School Hillcrest High School Idaho Center of Advanced Technology Lakeland Senior High School Lewiston Senior High School Madison Senior High School Malad Senior High School McCall-Donnelly High School Meridian High School Meridian Medical Arts Center Minico Senior High School Mountain Home Senior High School Mountain View High School Nampa Senior High School Pocatello Senior High School Orofino High School Preston High School Region 2 Prof-Tech Academy Riverbend Prof-Tech Academy Sandpoint High School Skyview High School Snake River High School Soda Springs High School Timberline High School Twin Falls Senior High School Vallivue High School Wallace Junior / Senior High School Westside Senior High School Wood River High School

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Idaho's Secondary Health Professions

Programs





IDAHO'S SECONDARY HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION PROGRAM

CURRICULA CAPSTONE COURSES

daho's health care industry needs doctors, nurses, technologists, therapists, technicians and aides in diagnostic, therapeutic, environmental and information services.

To help meet this need, Idaho secondary health professions programs are available to school districts. State approved programs receive a grant that helps in purchasing necessary instructional resources, such as supplies and equipment.

Students explore a wide variety of career options in the health professions. They learn important knowledge and skills in medical terminology and human structure and function. They receive training as health care aides.



Leadership development is available through Idaho-HOSA – state affiliate of Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA).

Upon completion of Idaho's recommended secondary health professions education program, graduates are eligible for entry level employment as aides. They may receive college credit at participating postsecondary institutions. This helps to improve the chances of admission into highly competitive collegiate health professions programs.

(SENIOR YEAR)

- Emergency Medical Technician Basic
- Fundamentals of Dental Assisting
- Health Unit Clerk / Coordinator
- Home Care Aide
- Nursing Assisting
- Medical Assistant: Admin. / Clinical
- Mental Health Assistant
- Physical Therapy Aide
- Occupational Therapy Aide
- Sports Medicine / Athletic Training
- Medical Records



INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATIONS

econdary health professions educators are not required to possess a Baccalaureate degree. However, they must be currently credentialed as health professions and certified / certifiable as a professional-technical educator by the Idaho Division of Professional-Technical Education. Some credentialing agencies, like the Idaho Board of Nursing or Emergency Medical Services Bureau, may require work experience and other qualifications.

ACCORDING T O OCCUPATIONAL OUT-LOOK

"The health care services will increase 30 percent and account for 3.1 million new jobs – the largest numerical increase of any industry from 1996 – 2006."

HOW TO START A PROGRAM

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